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Re:

Application of Chikara OHYAMA and Minoru FUKUDA METHOD FOR DETECTING PROGNOSIS OF CANCER

Assignees: SEIKAGAKU CORPORATION and THE BURNHAM

INSTITUTEOur Ref: Q74728

Dear Sir:

The following documents and fees are submitted herewith in connection with the above application for the purpose of entering the National stage under 35 U.S.C. §371 and in accordance with the Patent Cooperation Treaty:

- ☑ a copy of the International Application.
- ☑ 5 sheets (Figures 1-6) of drawings.
- ☑ a copy of the ISR, Information Disclosure Statement and PTO SB/08 A & B (modified) listing the ISR references.
- ☑ Notification Concerning Submission or Transmittal of Priority Document
- ✓ Verified English language translation of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/455,585
 (31 pages including Declaration and drawings)
- ☑ it is expressly requested that the national stage of processing be commenced immediately in accordance with 35 U.S.C. § 371(f).

In addition to the documents submitted herewith, it is assumed that copies of the International Application, the International Search Report and cited references, the International Preliminary Examination Report, and any Articles 19 and 34 amendments as required by §371(c) will be supplied directly by the International Bureau, but if further copies are needed, the undersigned will undertake to provide them upon request. Copies of the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and Assignment will be submitted at a later date.

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A check for the statutory filing fee of \$1260.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

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